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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121

## I. INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In the official action mailed September 4, 2009, the Examiner requires election of species in the above-referenced application. A shortened statutory period of 1 month has been set, making a response to this action due on or by October 4, 2009. This response is made in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 using the format with each heading beginning on a separate page as follows:

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